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Applicant(s): HAASE, B.

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X Attached hereto is a FORM PTO 1449 listing the references.

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- ☐ Attached hereto is a Statement of Relevancy and copies of references cited therein.
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